

## Message Text

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2982

INFO AMEMBASSY FREETOWN

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BBAK

SUBJECT: U.S. FIRM SEEKS HOUSING CONTRACT:

REALE-PURITZ INTERNATIONAL, LTD

1. REALE-PURITZ INTERNATIONAL, 508 TOLLAND ST., EAST HARTFORD, CONN. IS SEEKING FMG/NORTH CENTRAL STATE CONTRACT FOR CONSTRUCTION OF 1000 LOW COST HOUSING UNITS IN KADUNA PRIOR TO BLACK ARTS FESTIVAL IN NOVEMBER. REALE-PURITZ IS AT LEAST THE THIRD U.S. FIRM TO BECOME INVOLVED IN CONTRACT NEGOTIATIONS. REQUEST COMMERCE PROVIDE INFORMATION ON BACKGROUND, FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY, GENERAL REPUTATION AND ORGANIZATION OF REALE-PURITZ ASAP.

2. FOR LAGOS: PURITZ CLAIMS DEALINGS WITH LAGOS STATE GOVERNMENT FOR CEMENT AND OTHER BASIC COMMODITIES OVER PAST SEVERAL YEARS.

3. FOR FREETOWN: EDWARD PURITZ OPERATED SECONDHAND CLOTHING/RAG SORTING PLANT IN FREETOWN FROM 1971 TO SOMETIME IN 1973. CAN EMBASSY PROVIDE ANY INFORMATION ON MANNER IN WHICH PURITZ'S AFFAIRS THERE WERE WOUND UP?  
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